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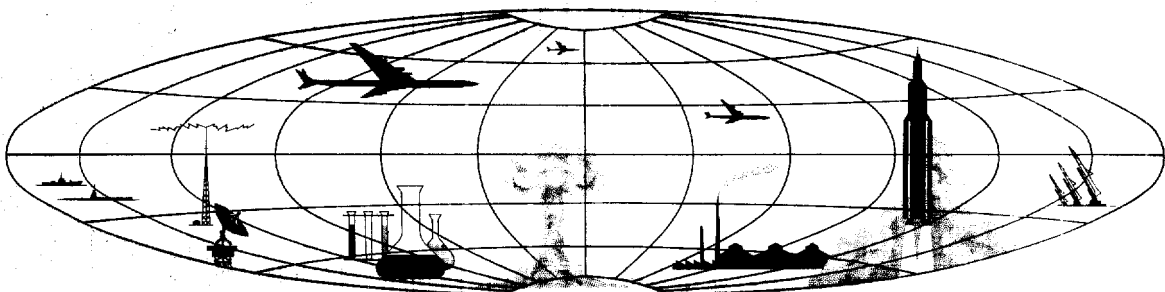
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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3621, DATED 6 JUN 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER. APPROXIMATELY 80 PERCENT OF THE AREA WAS CLOUD COVERED.

-MISSILES-

25X1A

MARIEL SAM SITE 2300N 08249W

25X1D

THREE REVETTED LAUNCHERS AND 7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

[REDACTED]

25X1A

CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE 2202N 08024W

25X1D

SIX UNRETTED LAUNCHERS, 2 PROBABLE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

DELEITE SAM SITE 2259N 08045W

25X1D

SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS, A CANVAS-COVERED HOLD POSITION, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA.

[REDACTED]

DELEITE ALTERNATE SAM SITE 2301N 08044W

25X1D

SITE IS ABANDONED.
NO ACTIVITY OR EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

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CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2236N 08005W

25X1A

AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF MISSILE CANISTERS AND
MISSILE TRANSPORTERS ARE VISIBLE.
FOLIAGE AND SHADOWS PRECLUDE DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

-AIRFIELDS-

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W

25X1A

25X1D

AIRCRAFT -- 16 FAGOT/FRESCO.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08025W

25X1D

AIRCRAFT -- ONE CRATE.

TRINIDAD AIRFIELD 2147N 07959W

25X1D

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

-PORTS-

CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

25X1D

SIX LARGE FREIGHTERS AND ONE COASTAL FREIGHTER
OBSERVED.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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25X1A

LA ISABELA PORT 2256N 08001W

25X1D

VESSELS -- ONE TANKER AND 2 LARGE FREIGHTERS.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

CASILDA PORT 2145N 07959W

25X1D

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

BAHIA HONDA PORT 2255N 08311W

25X1D

NO VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED IN
CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

[REDACTED]

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

LA FLORA AREA, MILITARY STORAGE 2252N 08233W

25X1D

THIRTY-ONE VEHICLES AND 13 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2221N 07957W

25X1D

TEN TANKS/SP GUNS AND 11 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES
OBSERVED.

[REDACTED]

ENSENADA COLORADO LANDING BEACH 2202N 08025W

25X1D

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

[REDACTED]

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-MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITY-

25X1A

LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION 2208N 08004W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2224N 07953W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OR ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D

MANICARAGUA AREA, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE SITE 2206N 07958W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE
SINCE LAST COVERAGE--

25X1A

SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2	2239N 07951W
BAHIA HONDA SAM SITE	2257N 08317W
LA SIERRA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2156N 08019W
CIENFUEGOS LANDING BEACH	2202N 08036W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT
NOT INTERPRETED --

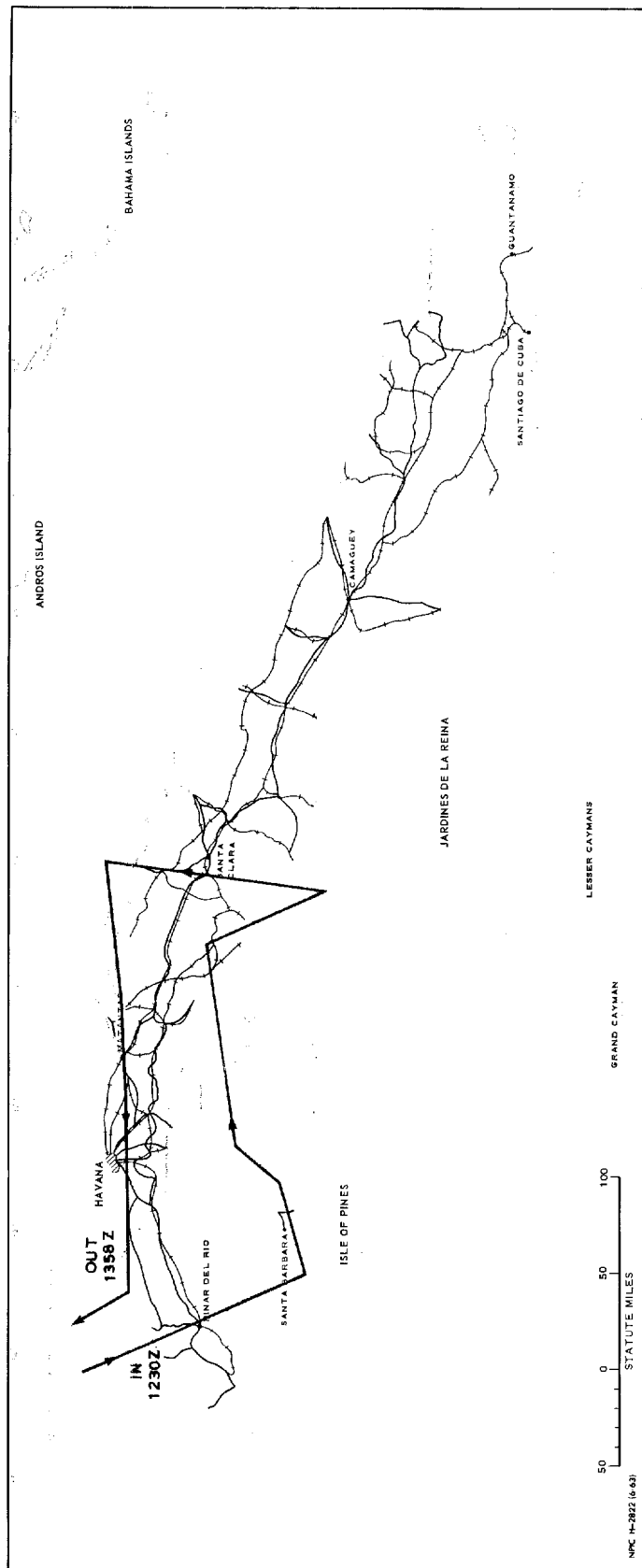
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SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD SAM SITE	2205N 08409W
SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE	2251N 08005W
SIGUANEIA AIRFIELD	2138N 08257W
SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD	2252N 08231W
SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD	2206N 08409W
BAHIA HONDA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08311W
HAVANA, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA	2301N 08226W
CAYO LARGO	2138N 08129W

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